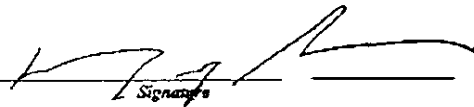


PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) (Large Entity)			Docket No. 1723
In Re Application Of: SCHMITT, P., ET AL			
Serial No. 09/936,700	Filing Date 02/26/2002	Examiner POLK, S.	Group Art Unit 2836
Invention: DEVICE FOR AUTOMATICALLY SWITCHING LIGHTING DEVICES..			
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:</u></p> <p>This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of <u>08/21/2003</u> in the above-identified application. <small>Date</small></p> <p>The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> One month <input type="checkbox"/> Two months <input type="checkbox"/> Three months <input type="checkbox"/> Four months <input type="checkbox"/> Five months</p> <p>from: <u>NOVEMBER 21, 2003</u> until: <u>DECEMBER 21, 2003</u> <small>Date</small> <small>Date</small></p> <p>The fee for the extension of time is \$110 and is to be paid as follows:</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 19-4675</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. 19-4675</p> <p> Dated: DECEMBER 22, 2003</p> <p><small>Signature</small></p> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; margin-top: 10px;"><p>I certify that this document and fee is being deposited on _____ with the U.S. Postal Service as first class mail under 37 C.F.R. 1.8 and is addressed to the Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.</p><p>_____ <small>Signature of Person Mailing Correspondence</small></p><p>_____ <small>Typed or Printed Name of Person Mailing Correspondence</small></p></div>			

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